GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
HEALTH AND FAMILY WELFARE
LOK SABHA

UNSTARRED QUESTION NO:253
ANSWERED ON:19.02.2003
ESTABLISHMENT OF NATIONAL AYURVEDIC HOSPITALS
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Will the Minister of HEALTH AND FAMILY WELFARE be pleased to state:

(a) whether the Government propose to open a National Ayurvedic Hospital in Delhi in order to promote Ayurvedic system of medicines;

(b) if so, the details thereof;

(c) the number of such hospitals functioning in the country, State-wise;

(d) the number of such Hospitals proposed to be opened during the Tenth Five Year Plan, State-wise;

(e) the amount likely to be incurred thereon;

(f) whether the Government have received any proposal from the Private Secor Companies in this regard; and

(g) if so, the details thereof?

Answer

MINISTER OF HEALTH AND FAMILY WELFARE AND PARLIAMENTARY AFFAIRS (SMT. SUSHMA SWARAJ)

(a) Yes.

(b) It will be established in collaboration with a private partner on the 4.5 acres of land at Sarita Vihar, New Delhi and it is proposed to provide state-of the art facilities for treatment of chronic and other diseases through Ayurvedic medicines and Ayurvedic procedures viz. Panchkarma, Ksharsutra, etc.

(c) Nil.

(d) There is no such proposal.

(e) to (g) Do not arise.